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The conference

**BY HAND** 

Honorable William H. Pauley III United States District Judge Southern District of New York United States Courthouse 40 Centre Street, Room 803 New York, New York 10007

Re:

Oldendorff Carriers GmbH & Co. KG v. KAS Maritime

Shipping Lines Ltd.

Janvars S.D.N.Y. No. 07 Civ. 8347 (WHP)

AS Maritime
18, 2008 at 11:30 cm

Our Ref.: 667664-00602

Dear Judge Pauley:

We represent plaintiff Oldendorff Carriers GmbH. This is a by now familiar "Rule B" action. The merits of the dispute are subject to resolution by arbitration in London. We are serving banks in New York with the attachment order in the hope of obtaining security prior to service of the complaint, as allowed by Rule B. At present, no attorney for defendant has appeared or contacted us.

We received your "Order for Initial Pretrial Conference" dated October 23, 2007. We\_ respectfully request that the conference on December 14, 2007, be adjourned for 30 days and the other deadlines in the order adjourned accordingly as well.

We are of course at Your Honor's disposal to answer any questions. Otherwise, we thank Your Honor in advance for your consideration of and favorable action upon this request.

Very truly yours,

LeRoy Lambert

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